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NEWS ADVISORY

HEALTH DISPARITIES 2007 CONFERENCE TO FOCUS ON IDEAS, STRATEGIES

WHAT: Health Disparities 2007: Know the Facts, Make a Change! Summit

WHO: Wilma Wooten, M.D., M.P.H., San Diego County Public Health Officer

Larry Cohen, M.S.W., Executive Director, Prevention Institute

Rodney Hood, M.D., Careview Medical Group

WHEN: Thursday, June 21

8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

WHERE: Marina Village

1936 Quivira Way, San Diego 92109

WHY: Health Disparities 2007 is an opportunity for the local healthcare community to discuss

the top health disparities affecting San Diego County today. Causes of health

disparities, as well as issues of cultural competence and language barriers are part of the program. Community partners will present best practices in reducing disparities.

Exhibitors and networking are also part of the summit.

The County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency (HHSA) is a member of

the Reduce or Eliminate Health Disparities Initiative (REHDI) Coalition, which is

presenting the summit.

For more information, call the Neighborhood Fundraising Network, Inc. at (858) 277-

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